## Process to Secure Certificate of Liability Insurance (COI) on behalf of a 3<sup>rd</sup> Party

This process is only used to help a 3<sup>rd</sup> party (vendor, performer, camp, wedding party) secure a certificate of liability insurance when they <u>cannot provide their own COI</u> or their limits are too low to meet Southwestern's contractual requirement. It is used when Southwestern sponsors an event (Homecoming/Clusterfest/MallBall) or when a 3<sup>rd</sup> party camp/group is renting Southwestern facilities.

There are two ways to secure a COI.

- 1. Preferred method send Vendor/Performer/Group directly to:
  - Francis L. Dean Insurance Broker: http://www.fdean.com/special-events.aspx
    - a. Select "California office"
    - b. Select either "Vendor" or "Performer"
    - c. Select "Apply OnLine"
- 2. SU department representative uses: EIIA web link: www.eiia.org
  - a. "Click Here To Order Special Events Policy"
  - b. Be sure to use 3<sup>rd</sup> party name and address in "Applicant Field".
  - c. Submit for quote
  - d. Pay by Credit Card
  - e. COI will be issued.

## When to use EIIA site or Francis L. Dean site

Preferred method is to send vendors and/or performers directly to the Francis I. Dean site and have them <u>purchase their own insurance</u>. If this is not feasible, a Southwestern department representative may arrange for the COI on their behalf and use the EIIA site to arrange for a COI on behalf of the 3<sup>rd</sup> party. Be sure to use the performer/vendor name and address in the applicant field.

**NOTE:** Each 3<sup>rd</sup> party – performer, vendor, group <u>must</u> have a <u>separate COI</u> in their name. One special events COI will not provide coverage for multiple vendors/performers!

NOTE: Check with EIIA for a discounted "group" rate when more than one performer/vendor is participating in an event.

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